

Motor Carrier Safety Progress Report

Federal Motor Carrier Safety Administration

(as of 2/15/01)

SAFETY OUTCOMES	1998	1999	2000
• Large Truck Fatalities	5,395	5,362	*
• Large Truck Fatality Rate (per 100 million vehicle miles traveled)	2.7	2.7	*
• Intercity Bus Fatalities	50	66	*
• Large Truck Injuries	127,000	142,000	*
• Large Truck Injury Rate (per 100 million vehicle miles traveled)	64.8	71.1	*

source: NHTSA (fatalities and injuries), FHWA (vehicle miles traveled).

DATA QUALITY	1998	1999	2000
ACCURACY			
• Percentage of FMCSA reported crashes matched to a carrier.	89%	89%	90%
• Percentage of FMCSA reported inspections matched to a carriers.	93%	92%	93%

TIMELINESS			
• Average time (days) to upload a crash to FMCSA.	146	163	99
• Average time (days) to upload an inspection to FMCSA.	59	47	46

COMPLETENESS			
• Percentage of fatal crashes reported to FMCSA.	70%	73%	*

* crash data not yet available.

PROGRAM OUTPUTS	FY 1999 Total	FY 2000 Total	FY 2001 Oct.-Dec.
INCREASING ENFORCEMENT			
• Number of Federal compliance reviews.	6,252	10,553	2,326
• Number of Enforcement cases initiated.	2,977	4,279	1,119
• Average \$ claimed per case.	\$4,361	\$5,641	\$4,707
• States participating in PRISM.	12	18	18
• Operations out-of-service orders.	2	4	1
• HM/passenger carrier out-of-service orders.	29	34	17
• Roadside inspections, trucks.	2,277,128	2,398,419	519,252
• Roadside inspections, buses.	30,315	29,127	5,555

INCREASING SAFETY AWARENESS			
• ITS-CVO: Number of Federal, State, and industry attendees at briefings	1,159	1,209	225
• ITS-CVO: Number of technology truck visitors	5,766	4,088	220
• Federal/State inspectors in training	1,845	2,236	865
–Roadside inspections	137	124	32
–Compliance reviews	2,023	1,272	358
–In-service	690	0	0

IMPROVING SAFETY INFORMATION AND TECHNOLOGY			
• States participating in CVISN (In Planning, Design, Deployment)	31,0,10	21,11,10	9,4,30

- Standards completed in FY 2001
 - Sanctions Against Motor Carrier Brokers and Freight Forwarders for Failure of Pay Civil Penalties, Final Rule, 12/15/2000.
 - Transportation of Household Goods in Interstate or Foreign Commerce: Rules of Practice for Motor Carrier Safety and Hazardous Materials Proceedings, Final Rule, 10/2/2000.
 - Motor Carrier Identification Report, Interim Final Rule, 11/24/2000.
 - Definition of Commercial Motor Vehicle (CMV), Final Rule, 1/11/2001.
- Standards currently in ANPRM, NPRM
 - Hours of Service of Drivers; Drivers; Driver Rest and Sleep for Safe Operation, NPRM, 5/20/2000 (comments currently under review).
 - Safety Requirements for Operators of Small Passenger-Carrying Commercial Motor Vehicles Used In Interstate Commerce, NPRM 01/11/2001 (comment period ends 4/11/2001).
 - Development of a North American Standard for Protection Against Shifting and Falling Cargo, NPRM, 12/18/2000 (comment period ends 3/19/2001).